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TAGS: SHUM,AR  
SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:  
DISAPPEARANCE OF ALEJANDRO ROBERTO ODELL (161/77/11)

1. PURSUANT TO YOUR REQUEST OF DEC 8, 1977 ON BEHALF  
OF JOHN F. AND SARHA V. SPEICHT OF OXON HILL, MD, THE FOREIGN  
OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS HAS INFORMED US  
THAT THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HAS NO RECORD OF THE DETENTION OF  
ALEJANDRO ROBERTO ODELL, NOR ANY INFO REGARDING HIS  
WHEREABOUTS.

2. THE US. CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN THIS MATTER HAS BEEN  
COMMUNICATED TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE. THIS CASE WILL CONTINUE  
TO BE MONITORED BY THE EMBASSY AND WE WILL CONTACT YOU REGARDING  
ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

3. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.  
CASTRO

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